

# RIDER ON THE WHEEL

As recorded by Nick Drake

(From the 1987 Album TIME OF NO REPLY)

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## A Intro Tuning G G D G B D

♩. = 120

Musical notation for the first staff of the intro, measures 1-4. The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is 4/4. The melody consists of quarter notes and eighth notes.

Gtr I  
let ring

Guitar tab for the first staff of the intro, measures 1-4. The strings are labeled T (Treble), A (Middle), and B (Bass). Fingering numbers are shown above the notes.

1.

Musical notation for the second staff of the intro, measures 5-8. This section includes a first ending bracket.

let ring

Guitar tab for the second staff of the intro, measures 5-8. This section includes a first ending bracket.

2.

Musical notation for the third staff of the intro, measures 9-12. This section includes a second ending bracket.

let ring

Guitar tab for the third staff of the intro, measures 9-12. This section includes a second ending bracket.

## B Verse 1, 2



Musical notation for the first staff of the verse, measures 13-16. The key signature changes to two sharps (F# and C#). The time signature remains 4/4. The melody includes a triplet in the final measure.

let ring

Guitar tab for the first staff of the verse, measures 13-16. The strings are labeled T (Treble), A (Middle), and B (Bass). Fingering numbers are shown above the notes.

D.S.

17

let ring

T	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	3	3	0	3	2	2	0	0
A												2	0					
B	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

C Solo as Intro

21

let ring

T	9	8	8	0	12	12	12	12	12	10	12	9	8	8	0	0	0
A																	
B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

1.

25

let ring

T	9	8	8	0	12	12	12	12	10	12	12	12	10	12	0	0	0
A																	
B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	11	0	11	0	0	0

2.

29

let ring

T	9	8	8	0	12	12	12	9	8	8	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
A																	
B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

D Verse 3, 4



33

let ring

T	5	5	5	5	7	5	7	7	7	3	0	3	(3)	2	0	0	0
A										2	0	0					
B	5	5	5	5	7	5	5	7	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

(2nd time) D.S.S.

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let ring

T: 1 0 0 2 0 0 2 | 1 0 2 0 2 0 4 | 3 0 3 2 | 2 0 0 0

A: 0 0 2 0 0 2 | 0 2 2 0 4 0 | 0 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 0

B: 0 0 2 0 0 2 | 0 2 2 0 4 0 | 0 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 0

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rit.

let ring

T: 3 0 3 2 | 2 0 0 0 | 3x 0 0

A: 2 0 0 2 | 0 0 0 0 | 0 0

B: 0 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 0 | 0 0